Scholarship by IIM, Ahmedabad

†3582. SHRI RAM JETHMALANI:
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Indian Institute of Management, Ahmedabad provides scholarship to certain students;

(b) if so, the eligibility criterion for the student to get scholarship; and

(c) the number of students who were given scholarship during 2005, 2006 and 2007, year-wise, and total financial aid given through this scholarship to each student?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI D. PURANDESWARI): (a) Indian Institute of Management, Ahmedabad provides Need Based Scholarship (NBS) to all eligible students who are admitted to two year Post Graduate Programmes (PGP) at the Institute.

(b) Under the NBS Scheme the students who were admitted to two year PGP in 2007-08 at IIM, Ahmedabad and whose annual family income did not exceed Rs. 2.00 lakhs, were eligible for the NBS.

(c) The details of number of PGP students who were given NBS and the details of total amount given are as under:

Year	No. of Students	Total amount given through NBS (Amount in Rs.)
2005-06	86	62,35,650
2006-07	63	44,19,530
2007-08	49	39,29,432

Setting up of Premier Institutes

3583. SHRI B.J. PANDA:
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is proposed to set up premier institutes in the country under PPP mode;

(b) if so, the details thereof, *inter-alia*, indicating those that are proposed to be set up in Orissa;

(c) whether Government also proposes to set up new Central universities in the current Plan period; and

(d) if so, the details thereof, *inter-alia*, indicating those that would be set up in Orissa?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI D. PURANDESWARI): (a) and (b) A Detailed Project Report for setting up new Indian Institutes of Information Technology (IIITs) during the 11th Five Year Plan under Public-Private Partnership (PPP) mode is in the process of being finalized.

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